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# KELSEY-HIGHLANDS NURSERY

Specimen Trees for Immediate Landscape Effect

TRANSFORM YOUR HOME GROUNDS IN A DAY

SPRUCES, HEMLOCKS, FIRS, ARBORVITAES, PINES, EASTERN REDCEDAR, OAKS, ELMS, LINDENS, MAPLES ETC.

MEMORIALS — NOTHING MORE BEAUTIFUL OR FITTING THAN THESE GRAND SPECIMEN TREES.

PERMANENT LIVING CHRISTMAS TREES 15 ft. to 25 ft. in height.

## NOTE CAREFULLY

1. **PRICES** are for Trees Dug, Balled, and Burlaped f.o.b. Nursery, East Boxford, Mass.
2. **DELIVERED**, planted and properly guyed (when necessary) within a radius of thirty (30) miles of Nursery, add 40% to price of each tree under normal planting conditions, and when location is readily accessible to tree mover.
3. **FROZEN BALLS**, After winter closes in we move and plant with solid frozen balls. (Holes must be prepared in advance, before too much frost has entered ground). We will gladly consult with you on your grounds, to help in selection of trees and choice of planting location.

Telephone Topsfield 71, Harlan P. Kelsey, Inc., East Boxford, Mass.

## CONIFERS (EVERGREENS)

Inspection of Trees at Nursery Invited

*Hv* = Horticultural variety

Standardized Plant Names, 1942 edition, is authority for the plant names used herein

### THE ARBORVITAES

EASTERN ARBORVITAE, *Thuja occidentalis*

One of our best evergreens. Fine for windbreaks.

12-14 ft. ....	35.00 Each
14-16 ft. ....	55.00 Each
16-18 ft. ....	90.00 Each

GEORGE PEABODY ARBORVITAE, *Thuja occidentalis Hv*

Variety with golden-tipped foliage.

10-12 ft. ....	35.00 Each
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### DOUGLASFIR

COMMON DOUGLASFIR, *Pseudotsuga taxifolia*

Dense pyramidal tree. Soft foliage green or bluish-green.

14-16 ft. ....	45.00 Each
16-18 ft. ....	70.00 Each
18-20 ft. ....	100.00 Each

### THE FIRS

FRASER BALSAM FIR, *Abies fraseri*

Very hardy. Heavier darker foliage than Northern Balsam.

10-12 ft. ....	25.00 Each
12-14 ft. ....	35.00 Each
14-16 ft. ....	55.00 Each
15-18 ft. ....	90.00 Each

NORDMANN FIR, *Abies nordmanniana*

Two splendid specimens only of this rare Fir.

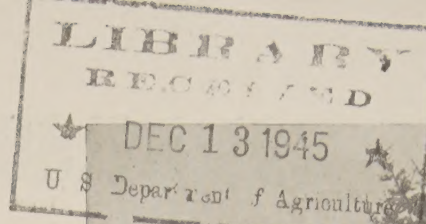
20-22 ft. ....	200.00 Each
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### THE HEMLOCKS

CANADA HEMLOCK, *Tsuga canadensis*

A most handsome lawn tree. One of our most graceful American conifers.

10-12 ft. ....	45.00 Each
12-14 ft. ....	60.00 Each
14-16 ft. ....	80.00 Each
1-18-20 ft. ....	150.00 Each
1-20-22 ft. ....	190.00 Each
2-25-30 ft. ....	275.00 Each
3-30-35 ft. ....	350.00 Each



SERBIAN SPRUCE  
The most beautiful species



SPECIMEN CONIFERS  
in an informal planting

CAROLINA HEMLOCK, *Tsuga caroliniana*

A Kelsey introduction. For graceful beauty, we do not believe its equal can be found. Prof. Sargent, late Director of the Arnold Arboretum, considered the Carolina Hemlock "the handsomest conifer we can grow in New England". We offer splendid specimens up to 25 ft. in height.

10-12 ft. ....	45.00 Each
12-14 ft. ....	60.00 Each
14-16 ft. ....	80.00 Each
16-18 ft. ....	110.00 Each
18-20 ft. ....	150.00 Each
20-22 ft. ....	190.00 Each

SIEBOLD HEMLOCK, *Tsuga sieboldi*

A very beautiful Japanese species of compact growth. Dark glossy foliage.

1 only 8-10 ft. ....	50.00 Each
3 only 10-12 ft. ....	75.00 Each
1 only 14-16 ft. ....	125.00 Each



SPECIMEN CAROLINA HEMLOCKS



# KELSEY'S SPECIMEN CONIFERS

## THE LARCHES, *Deciduous*

### EUROPEAN LARCH, *Larix decidua*

Handsome pyramidal tree.

12-14 ft. ....	25.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	35.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	45.00	Each

### DAHURIAN LARCH, *Larix gmelini*

Rare Siberian species wider spreading than preceding. Purple catkins in May.

12-14 ft. ....	35.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	45.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	60.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	80.00	Each

### JAPANESE LARCH, *Larix leptolepis*

Very rapid growth.

16-18 ft. ....	45.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	60.00	Each
20-22 ft. ....	85.00	Each
22-24 ft. ....	120.00	Each

## THE PINES

### KOREAN PINE, *Pinus koraiensis*

Beautiful reddish-brown bark on new growth. White Pine group.

8-10 ft. ....	30.00	Each
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### SWISSMOUNTAIN PINE, *Pinus mugo*

Hardy, many-stemmed, upright growth. Variable in height up to 40 ft.

6- 8 ft. spread .....	25.00	Each
8-10 ft. spread .....	35.00	Each

### AUSTRIAN PINE, *Pinus nigra*

Very hardy and fine for planting near seashore.

12-14 ft. ....	60.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	80.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	115.00	Each

### RED PINE, *Pinus resinosa*

Vigorous growth. Long bright green needles.

12-14 ft. ....	55.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	75.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	105.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	125.00	Each

### SCOTS PINE, *Pinus sylvestris*

Picturesque growth in maturity, with orange-brown bark.

14-16 ft. ....	75.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	100.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	125.00	Each

### TABLEMOUNTAIN PINE, *Pinus pungens*

Rare, picturesque irregular growth. Large brown persistent cones.

4 specimens only 12 x 12 ft.	150.00	Each
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### EASTERN WHITE PINE, *Pinus strobus*

Grandest of all native conifers.

16-18 ft. ....	90.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	110.00	Each
20-22 ft. ....	135.00	Each
25-27 ft. ....	175.00	Each

## THE REDCEDARS

### EASTERN REDCEDAR, *Juniperus virginiana*

Broad or columnar types as desired.

12-14 ft. ....	30.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	45.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	65.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	90.00	Each
20-30 ft. ....	Individually priced	

### SILVER EASTERN REDCEDAR, *J. virginiana* *Hv*

Color contrasts well with the above.

12-14 ft. ....	40.00	Each
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## THE SPRUCES

### NORWAY SPRUCE, *Picea abies*

Wide spreading, rapid growth.

16-18 ft. ....	75.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	100.00	Each
20-24 ft. ....	140.00	Each

### DRAGON SPRUCE

A superb rare conifer, most vigorous of the Chinese Spruces, broadly pyramidal. Chestnut-brown cones. Thrives at seashore. These are unusual specimens.

1 only 12-14 ft. ....	120.00	Each
1 only 14-16 ft. ....	150.00	Each
1 only 18-20 ft. ....	225.00	Each
2 only 22-24 ft. ....	300.00	Each

### WHITE SPRUCE, *Picea glauca*

Our most beautiful native species. Stands seashore conditions.

16-18 ft. ....	80.00	Each
20-24 ft. ....	125.00	Each

### KOYAMA SPRUCE, *Picea koyamai*

Recent introduction. Dark green foliage, sturdy habit.

16-18 ft. ....	80.00	Each
18-20 ft. ....	105.00	Each
20-24 ft. ....	135.00	Each

### SERBIAN SPRUCE, *Picea omorika*

This magnificent hardy pyramidal species is perhaps the most beautiful of the spruces. Dark green foliage, with high lights of blue.

12-14 ft. ....	50.00	Each
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### COLORADO SPRUCE, *Picea pungens*

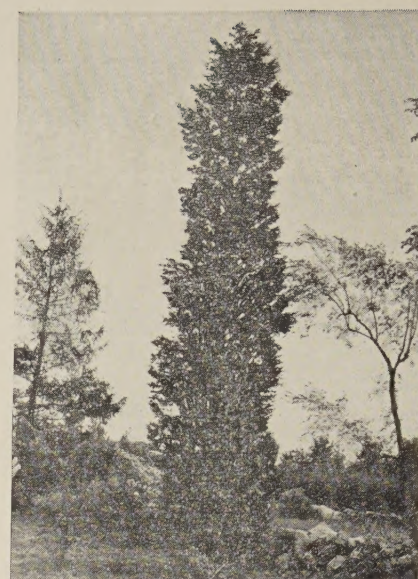
Dark green foliage.

14-16 ft. ....	60.00	Each
16-18 ft. ....	80.00	Each

### BLUE COLORADO SPRUCE, *Picea pungens* *Hv*

Popular blue-foliaged variety.

8-10 ft. ....	22.00	Each
10-12 ft. ....	35.00	Each
12-14 ft. ....	50.00	Each
14-16 ft. ....	75.00	Each



EASTERN REDCEDAR  
Columnar type



CANADA HEMLOCK



DOUGLASFIR



YOUNG DRAGON SPRUCE



# KELSEY'S SPECIMEN DECIDUOUS TREES

## FLOWERING CRABAPPLE

KELSEY FLOWERING CRABAPPLE, *Malus floribunda* Hv.

Our introduction. Bright pink buds opening to snow white in greatest profusion.

7-8 ft. high—7-8 ft. spread.....	25.00 Each
8-10 ft. high—7-9 ft. spread.....	35.00 Each

## THE ELMS

AMERICAN ELM, *Ulmus americana*

One of our grandest native ornamental trees.

18-20 ft. 4-5 in. cal.....	50.00 Each
24-26 ft. 6-7 in. cal.....	100.00 Each
28-30 ft. 7-8 in. cal.....	125.00 Each

MOLINE AMERICAN ELM, *Ulmus americana* Hv.

A unique vase-shaped form. Two specimens only.

2 only 20-22 ft. 5 in. cal.....	75.00 Each
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“WASHINGTON ELM”, *Ulmus americana*

Authentic descendants of the famous Cambridge Elm under which George Washington took command of the Continental Army in 1775. Propagated from material supplied by the Arnold Arboretum.

14-16 ft. 3-4 in. cal.....	30.00 Each
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## THE LINDENS

LITTLELEAF LINDEN, *Tilia cordata*

A lovely shade tree for avenue or lawn. Masses of fragrant yellow-white flowers in May or June.

12-14 ft. 4-4½ in. cal.....	35.00 Each
14-16 ft. 4½-5 in. cal.....	50.00 Each

PYRAMIDAL BIGLEAF LINDEN, *Tilia platyphyllos* Hv.

For locations needing a special “accent.”

14-15 ft. ....	50.00 Each
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## THE MAPLES

NORWAY MAPLE, *Acer platanoides*

One of the best and hardiest shade trees. Heavy dark-green foliage.

24-28 ft. 8-10 in. cal.....	150.00 Each
28-32 ft. 10-11 in. cal.....	200.00 Each

RED MAPLE, *Acer rubrum*

Red or scarlet, rarely yellow, flowers in March and April. Brilliant orange or scarlet Autumn foliage.

16-18 ft. 4-5 in. cal.....	60.00 Each
20-22 ft. 6-7 in. cal.....	110.00 Each
24-28 ft. 8-9 in. cal.....	175.00 Each

SKINNERS SILVER MAPLE, *Acer saccharinum* Hv.

Pendulous branches, deeply cut foliage.

16-18 ft. ....	35.00 Each
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## THE OAKS

Oaks are among our finest long-lived shade and lawn trees. Leaves are very persistent and usually have brilliant Autumn coloring. We offer five of the best species.

WHITE OAK, *Quercus alba*

16-18 ft. 4-5 in. cal. ....	75.00 Each
20-24 ft. 6-7 in. cal. ....	135.00 Each

NORTHERN RED OAK, *Quercus borealis*

BLACK OAK, *Quercus velutina*

SCARLET OAK, *Quercus coccinea*

16-18 ft. 4-5 in. cal.....	65.00 Each
20-24 ft. 6-7 in. cal. ....	120.00 Each

CHESTNUT OAK, *Quercus montana*

A single specimen only.

20-22 ft. 6 in. cal.....	125.00
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## KELSEY'S “READY-MADE” EVERGREEN HEDGES

Why wait years for that finished garden effect when you can have it in a day by planting a beautiful Kelsey “Ready-Made” Hedge.

Nine varieties give a choice for different effects.

Prices are net per running foot, delivered and planted (where normal conditions exist), within 30 miles of Kelsey-Highlands Nursery, East Boxford, Mass.

	Length	Height	Spread	Per ft.
1. Norway Spruce .....	230 ft.	4 ft.	3 ft.	\$5.00
2. White Spruce .....	216 ft.	3 ft.	2 ft. 3 in.	5.00
3. Koyama Spruce .....	186 ft.	3 ft.	2 ft.	5.00
4. Serbian Spruce .....	117 ft.	3 ft. 4 in.	2 ft. 8 in.	6.00
5. Eastern White Pine .....	231 ft.	4 ft.	2 ft. 6 in.	6.00
6. Ware Arborvitae .....	181 ft.	3 ft. 1 in.	2 ft. 3 in.	5.00
7. Eastern Arborvitae .....	232 ft.	5 ft. 6 in.	3 ft.	6.00
8. Canada Hemlock .....	233 ft.	4 ft.	3 ft.	6.00
9. Carolina Hemlock .....	231 ft.	4 ft.	2 ft. 9 in.	6.50

See next page for illustrations of hedges



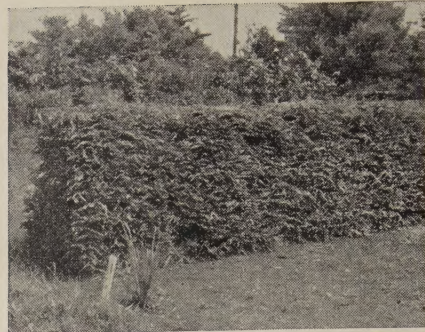
FLOWERING CRABAPPLE



LITTLELEAF LINDEN



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*Illustrating Some of*  
**KELSEY'S "READY-MADE"**  
**EVERGREEN HEDGES**

*Over 2000 Running Feet*  
*are*  
*Ready for Delivery*  
**Nine Varieties**



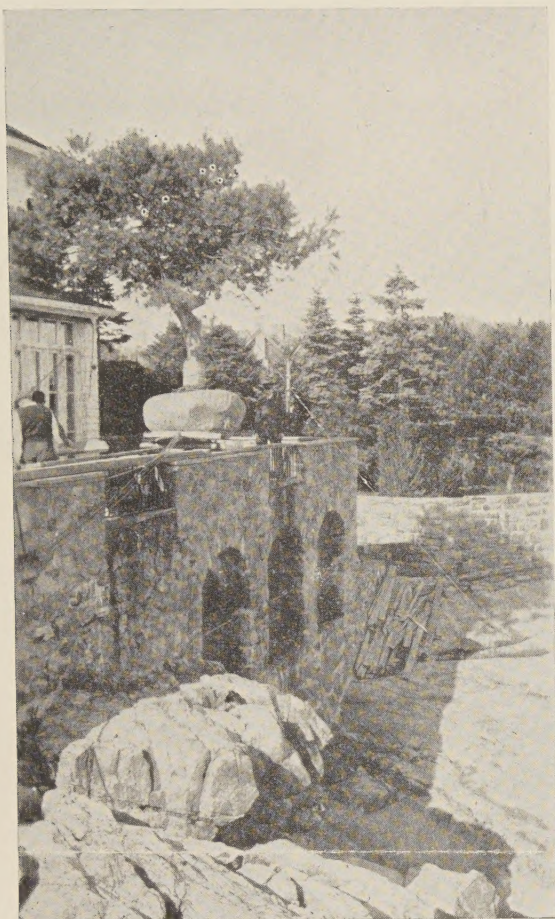
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**TREE-MOVING MACHINERY**

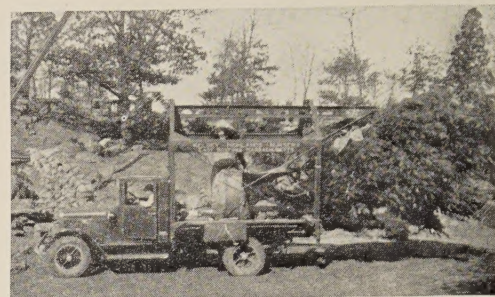
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*From Photographs*  
*Illustrating*

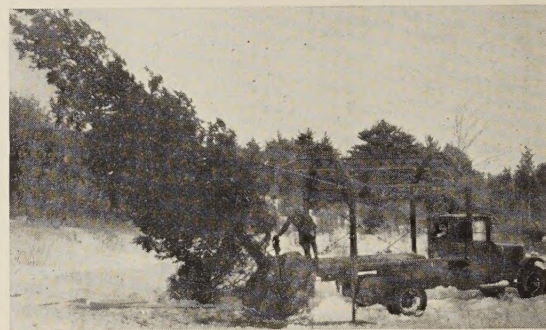
**"HOW IT IS DONE"**



MOVING A PICTURESQUE SCOTS PINE  
UNDER DIFFICULT CONDITIONS  
on a famous seashore estate in  
Manchester, Mass.



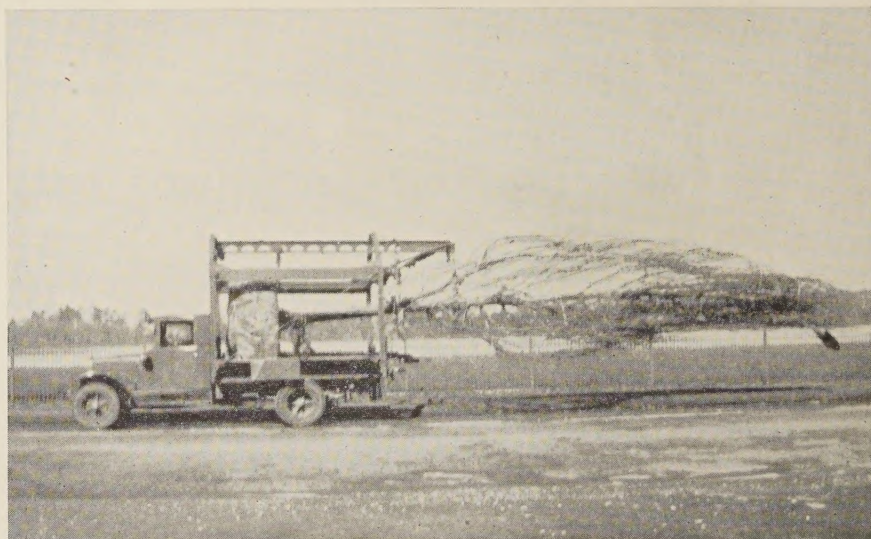
TWO-TON EVERGREEN  
IN TRANSIT



"FROZEN-BALL" PLANTING  
IN MID-WINTER



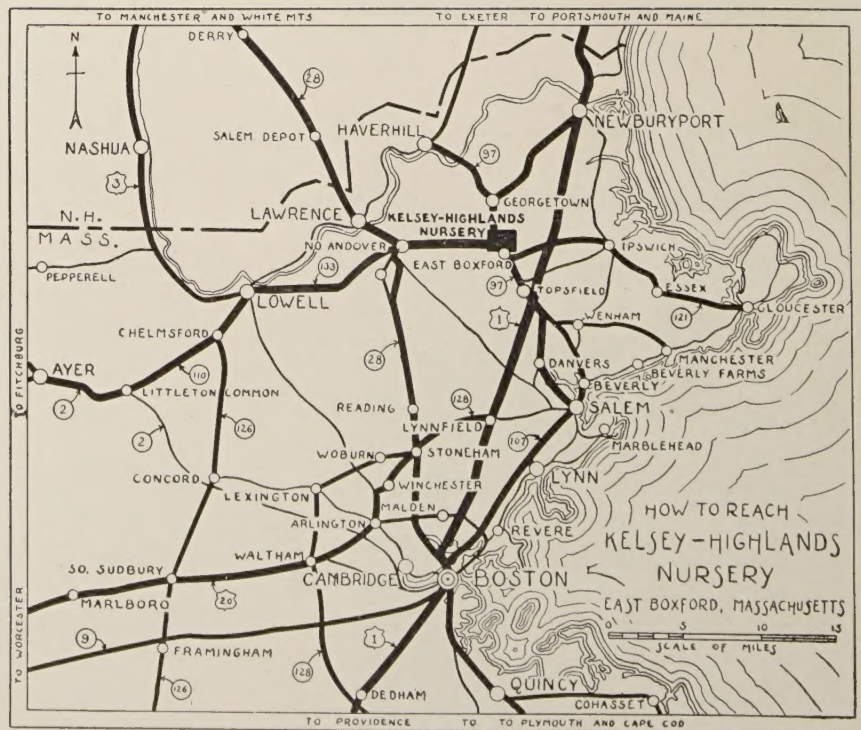
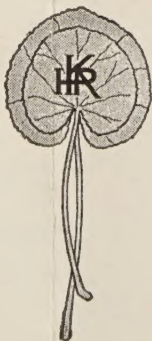
4-TON CONIFER READY TO GO



DELIVERING A 30-FOOT SUGAR MAPLE



MOVING A MATURE APPLE TREE



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